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The Honorable Pete Buttigieg, Secretary  
United States Department of Transportation  
1200 New Jersey Ave, SE  
Washington, DC 20590

Re: Assurance of Matching Funds

Dear Secretary Buttigieg:

This letter serves as evidence of assurance by the State of Maine Department of Transportation (MaineDOT) that matching funds for the 2023 Bridge Investment Program (BIP) Bridge Project grant application "Interstate 395 Bridge Bundle Project" submitted by MaineDOT are committed and will be provided.

MaineDOT is seeking \$63,016,563 in FY 2023 BIP Grant funding, matched by \$15,760,000 in state funding. Should funds be received, this project is included in MaineDOT's 2024-2026 *Work Plan* and the Statewide Transportation Improvement Program (STIP) for 2023-2026. It is consistent with MaineDOT's long-range plan.

MaineDOT is committed to providing these matching funds to the BIP funds requested.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Bruce A. Van Note'.

Bruce A. Van Note  
Commissioner